Mountain Weather Forecast

Northwest Highlands

Including Sutherland, Ben Wyvis, Wester Ross, The Cuillin, Glen Affric, Glen Shiel and Knoydart
Forecast valid from 00:00 on Sunday 10 Apr 2022 until 23:59 on Monday 11 Apr 2022

Forecast Issued on Saturday 09 Apr 2022 at 14:01 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for Sunday. High for a change to unsettled conditions early next week, but low for detail.

Headline for Sunday 10 Apr 2022: Mainly dry, cold and bright

Mountain weather hazards on Sunday 10 Apr 2022

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Low Likelihood

Poor visibility
No Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Light snow	Light snow	Light snow showers	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Cloudy	Cloudy
Precipitation probability							
40%	30%	20%	20%	10%	00%	00%	00%

Forecast for Sunday 10 Apr 2022

Weather: A few snow showers in the morning, these mostly across Sutherland, Caithness and Easter Ross. Otherwise a dry and cold day expected with some variable cloud cover, high cloud spilling from the south later on.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 80%

Low cloud and visibility: Generally very good with great air clarity, although some cloud down to 750 metres at times in the morning.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1000	15/20 W	12/16 W	9/12 W	6/9 SW	5/8 S	5/9 S	10/15 SE	18/26 E	17/25 E
900	15/19 W	12/16 W	8/11 W	5/9 SW	5/8 S	5/9 S	10/15 SE	19/27 E	18/25 E
600	10/15 W	8/12 W	6/9 W	5/8 SW	4/8 S	4/8 S	9/13 SE	13/22 E	14/22 E
300	3/15 W	3/12 W	1/9 NW	2/7 SW	3/8 S	3/7 SE	5/12 E	7/18 E	8/18 E
Glen	4/10 SW	3/7 W	3/5 NE	2/5 S	4/8 S	3/7 S	5/9 SE	10/18 E	11/17 E

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1000	-3/-10	-3/-9	-3/-8	-3/-6	-1/-4	0/-3	0/-4	-2/-9	-2/-8
900	-3/-9	-3/-8	-3/-7	-2/-5	-0/-3	1/-2	1/-4	-2/-8	-2/-8
600	-0/-5	-0/-4	-0/-4	1/-2	2/0	4/2	3/0	1/-4	1/-4
300	1/-0	1/-0	1/-1	3/2	5/4	6/5	6/4	3/0	2/-1
Glen	4/3	4/3	4/2	6/5	8/7	9/9	9/8	6/4	6/3
Freezing Level*	500m	500m	500m	500m	500m	600m	700m	500m	600m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View

Forecast for Monday 11 Apr 2022

Weather: Most of the day will be dry although there will be a lot of cloud. Outbreaks of snow, with rain at lower elevations, will spread north from late afternoon onwards with all ranges seeing some precipitation in the evening. Cold and windy, summit gales.

Maximum wind: South-easterly gusts 40 to 50 mph on the tops

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 70%

Low cloud and visibility: Generally very good with cloud mostly above the tops. Eastern Sutherland and Caithness may see some thin cloud around 400 metres for a time in the morning. Cloud down to 600 metres will become more widespread during the evening period, although the west coast may remain clear.

Temperature: **Glens:** Minus 1 rising to 11 Celsius
At 800m: 0 Celsius
Freezing level: 800 to 1200 metres

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